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1. Upon special inquiry by a Soviet officer, Dr. LANGE of the BERLIN Engineer Bureau on 10 April 1949, gave information on those former associates of the DVL (Deutsche Versuchsanstalt fuer Luftfahrt - German Aeronautical Research Institute) who are not in service with the Soviets. Among others the following persons were mentioned:

Graduate engineer SCHNEIDER and Dr. Eugen SAENGER, previously employed with the BRAUNSCHWEIG Aeronautical Research Institute, at present allegedly in France.  
Peter KAPPUS and Bruno BRUCKMANN, BMW Plant in MUNICH.  
Fritz DOBLHOFF, helicopter expert.  
Dr. VOGT, Messerschmitt Plant.  
Dr. Siegfried HOLMERT, Messerschmitt Plant.  
Dr. Philipp von DOEPF, Junkers Plant.  
Dr. Theodor ZOBEL and Dr. KACKSTEDT, BRANDENBURG Arado Plant.  
Dr. Werner van der NULL, BERLIN Polytechnical Academy.  
Dr. Theodor ROSSMANN, BRAUNSCHWEIG Polytechnical Academy.  
Dr. Wunibald KAMM, STUTTGART Polytechnical Academy.  
Dr. Alexander LIPISCH, jet fighter specialist.  
Dr. Friedrich RIEGLEB, Rudolf OPITZ and HOHMANN, associates of Dr. LIPISCH.  
Prof. Dr. WAGNER, rocket expert, formerly with the SCHNEIDER Henschel Plant.  
Dr. KRAMER, German Aeronautical Research Institute in ADLERHOF.  
Dr. LANG, rocket specialist, Daimler-Benz Plant.

These experts are allegedly residing in the USA. The Soviet officer wanted to know their names and present addresses.

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2. It is said that leading chemists and engineers of the organic chemical department of the MERSBURG Leuna Plant are to be contracted for the Soviet Union. According to Soviets employed

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3. STUERNER, manager of the DRESDEN general post office, stated that the administration of the general post office was ordered by the GMA to turn in a list with the names of all radio operators and mechanics.

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- a. The scientists mentioned in para 1 have been almost exclusively reported by press reports to be residing in the USA. This fact must also be known to the Soviets.
- b. It is noteworthy that the information reads: "... among other persons, the following were mentioned." It would, therefore be of interest to know whether other persons were also mentioned who would be in danger of being recruited by the Soviets.
- c. Paras 2 and 3 indicate that the deportation of scientists and experts from the Soviet Zone of Germany to the SU for reparation work is still going on.

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